

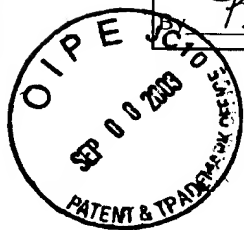
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Applicant	:	Suad Efendic)	Confirmation No. 3827
Serial No.	:	09/400,802)	
Filed	:	September 22, 1999)	Group Art Unit: 1654
For	:	Use of GLP-1 or Analogs in)	Examiner: Anish Gupta
		Treatment of Stroke)	
Docket No.	:	X-11158)	

REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111 & AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.121

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Introductory Comments

Applicant submits a reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.111, and an amendment under 37 C.F.R. §1.121 to the outstanding Office Action issued for the above referenced case, Paper No. 18. Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner enter the following amendments that Applicant believes place the application in condition for allowance.